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SUBJECT: DEA EXECUTIVE OBSERVATION PROGRAM FOR THAI OFFICIALS

REF: BANGKOK 2275

ATTN: NARCOTICS COORDINATOR: PASS AID; RD D ADDARIO,
DEA RO BANGKOK

1. ON BEHALF OF CCINC DEA IS PLEASED TO EXTEND INVITATION
FOR POLICE GENERAL SURAPHOL CHALLABRAM, POLICE COLONEL
OPAS RATANASIN AND POLICE COLONEL SAWONG SAPANUCHART TO
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PARTICIPATE IN EXECUTIVE OBSERVATION PROGRAM DURING PERIOD

MAY 10 - JUNE 4, 1976. DUE OTHER PROGRAM COMMITMENTS THESE ARE EARLIEST DATES AVAILABLE IN DEA SCHEDULE. IF DATES NOT AGREEABLE GENERAL SURAPHOL, PLEASE SUGGEST ALTERNATE PERIOD. OBJECTIVES OUTLINED REFTEL WILL BE CONSIDERED IN PLANNING PROGRAM, AND DRAFT OF PROPOSED SCHEDULE WILL BE FORWARDED FOR REVIEW BY POST AS SOON AS COMPLETED.

2. ESCORT OFFICER REQUIRED FOR EXECUTIVE PROGRAMS. BELIEVE ASSIGNMENT OF AGENT OF APPROPRIATE RANK FROM BANGKOK REGIONAL OFFICE WOULD ASSURE MAXIMUM BENEFIT IS DERIVED IN TERMS OF U.S. OBJECTIVES IN THAILAND NARCOTICS PROGRAM. ADVISE IF ESCORT AVAILABLE. ESCORT'S TRAVEL AND PER DIEM

WILL BE PAID FROM FUNDS AVAILABLE TO DEA HQ.

3. ADVISE ALSO WHETHER THESE OFFICIALS ARE ADEQUATELY PROFICIENT IN ENGLISH, OR WHETHER INTERPRETER REQUIRED FOR PROGRAM.

4. PLEASE FORWARD COMPLETED BIOGRAPHIC DATA FORMS (DEA-361 OR AID 1380-2) TO DEA, ATTN: TRI, SOONEST. KISSINGER

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